

## NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Third Ward to Have Seven Blocks of Granolithic Pavement.

### JONES FOR YARDMASTER

Fight for Senate and House in This District to Be Exciting. Elks' Benefit.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

At a meeting of the Third Ward delegation, held last night, it was decided that the proposed street improvements in that ward should consist of seven blocks of concrete pavement, with concrete curbing. The walkway will be four feet wide, and will have a grass plot on either side extending to the curbing.

The pavement will be laid on Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Seventeenth Streets. The approximate cost of such pavements is about \$320 per block. It can be readily seen that seven blocks would cost more than the amount of the appropriation due the Third Ward this year. The ward did not use all its appropriation last year, however, and the difference will be added to the recent appropriation.

It is expected that concrete will be used extensively here. It is considered to be the most economical street pavement, and it shows up to a great advantage. In many of the Western cities some of the principal thoroughfares are paved in this manner.

The meeting of the Electric Light Committee was held last night, but owing to the fact that the Passenger and Power Company did not have its contract prepared, no business was transacted. The meeting was called for the purpose of accepting the contract for the lighting of the streets.

### New Yardmaster.

It is stated on excellent authority that P. Waverly Jones, a local freight conductor of the Atlantic Coast Railroad, who resides at Eleventh and Perry Streets, will succeed C. C. Jones as yardmaster for the company at Richmond and Manchester. Mr. Jones has been transferred to Jacksonville, Fla., where he is to be trainmaster. He will leave this week.

Mr. Waverly Jones has been in the employ of the company for a number of years, and is exceedingly popular in railroad circles, as well as around the city.

### Politics in This District.

Just at this time political gossip is becoming general, as the candidates for the State Senate and House of Delegates are announcing themselves, and others are being mentioned as possible aspirants to office.

Yesterday Mr. J. E. Word, one of the most prominent Democrats in the Sixteenth District, who lives at Pineville, Powhatan county, was in the city and announced that he would enter the contest for the position of Representative from this district in the House.

He is conceded to have a very strong and influential backing, and he will give both the other candidates, Messrs. Wills and William Thrayer, a close run for the honor. Mr. Word has been active in Democratic circles for some years, and for a long time has been chairman of the party in Powhatan county. He is one of the most prosperous farmers in Powhatan.

### Bradley for Senate.

Mr. James F. Bradley, of this city, stated yesterday that his friends had urged him to come out as a candidate for the State Senate from this district to oppose Messrs. Sadler and Watkins, who have already announced themselves as candidates. Mr. Bradley said that if the people wanted him he would be glad to accept the honor, but that he did not have time to make a canvass of the district.

The meeting at Cowardin Avenue Christian Church continues in interest. Last night a very large congregation was present, despite the bad weather. There were six conversions. The ordinance of baptism will be administered to-night.

### Funeral This Afternoon.

The funeral of little Ruby Ruth Paul, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Paul, who died at the residence of her parents on Sunday afternoon, will take place at the Christian Episcopal Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the services will be conducted by Rev. Benjamin Dennis, the pastor. The interment will be made in Oakwood Cemetery.

The honorary pall-bearers will be Hansford Gregory, Henry Owens, Julian and Thomas Snellings, Roscoe Atkinson and Thomas Nichols. The active pall-bearers will be Roland Brandis, Russell and Guy Gregory, Henry Snegs, Roy Brown, Robie Owen, Lyon Bradley and Ben Dennis.

### Elks' Benefit To-Day.

The matinee and evening performances at Bowler's animal arena to-day will be for the benefit of the bazaar fund for Manchester Lodge, B. P. O. Elks. The Petersburg Lodge will come over to-night on a special car to attend the performance in a body. They will be escorted by a committee composed of Messrs. Ben P. Owen, D. L. Toner, and John Z. Walker. The ladies interested in the movement are assured of the success of

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### BISHOP HENDRIX NAMES REV. L. B. BETTY PRESIDING ELDER

Pastor of Centenary Methodist Church, Norfolk, Will Succeed Rev. Paul Whitehead, D. D.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., April 8.—Rev. L. B. Betty, pastor of Centenary Methodist Church, of Norfolk, stated to-night that he has received no official notice of his appointment as presiding elder of the Norfolk District of the Virginia Methodist Conference, to succeed Dr. Paul Whitehead, whose death recently occurred, although it is not doubted here that he has been so designated by Bishop Hendrix, who is now in Kansas City.

It is thought that he will also remain in charge of Centenary Church. The pastor has been a member of the Virginia Conference since 1875, and before coming here last December was pastor of Richmond churches for seven years. He has also been pastor of Monumental Church, Portsmouth. He is a native of Richmond.

A telegram was received here from Bishop E. R. Hendrix to-day, at the meeting of Methodist ministers, announcing the appointment of the Rev. L. B. Betty,

the entertainment. The bazaar will be held here, commencing May 6th.

### In Honor of Daughter.

Mrs. Edward Galloway entertained delightfully on Friday night at her home, No. 175 Maury Street, in honor of her daughter, Miss Lena Galloway.

Among those present were Misses Lena Galloway, Minnie Rice, Fannie Rice, Cassie Southern, Ethel Walters, Ruby Pow, Ella Blackman, Alice Childress, Mabel Akins, Corna Walters, Sarah Williams, Eva Newell, Bertha Skinner, Effie Skinner, Stephen Williams, Charlie Borum, Charlie Foster, George Brown, Joseph Haynes, William De Vere, George Daniels, Walter Bethel, Robert Pignor, Richard Kitchen, Robert Blunt, Willie Harris. At a late hour refreshments were served.

### Personals and Briefs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jennings are in Lunenburg, where they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Perkins.

The first quarterly meeting of the Manchester Sunday-school Union was held Sunday afternoon in Fifth Street M. E. Church. The meeting was full of interest and an excellent program was rendered. The attendance banner was awarded to the Central M. E. School, this school having the highest average in attendance during the past quarter. Mr. L. A. McIntosh spoke most interestingly along the line of military work.

Messrs. W. J. Henderson and J. Thorp, of Licking Creek District, are in the city on important business.

The Earnest Workers of the Presbyterian Church held an important business meeting yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The return from the recent production of "Mrs. Wicks of the Calabage Patch" were gone over, and when it had all been figured out it was found that quite a handsome sum was realized.

On account of the death of little Ruth Paul, who was to have participated, the rehearsals for the Mother's Bazaar, which had been postponed, the next rehearsal will be held in the home of Mrs. E. G. Hill, of West Twelfth Street, on Monday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Fitzgerald, of Sixth and Hull Streets, who was painfully burned by an explosion of gas in her home last week, is much improved.

The special electric light plant committee will hold an important meeting to-night, at which time it is probable Mr. E. W. Trafford will make a report containing an estimate for the proposed plant.

Miss Pearl Boush, Miss Helen Baughan and Miss Susie West of Swansboro, who have been visiting friends in Gordonsville, have returned here.

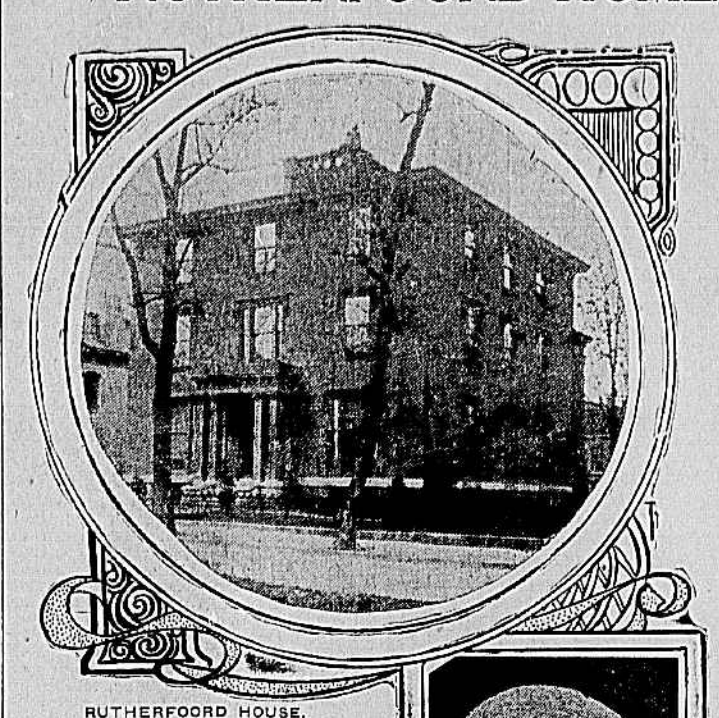
C. H. Gordon, white, charged with attempting to do bodily harm to his wife, was before the Mayor yesterday and was fined \$10 and costs and placed under a \$100 bond to keep the peace for twelve months.

George Finney, colored, was fined \$2.50 and costs for fighting, and W. Taylor, colored, was made to pay the same for being drunk.

### Captain Pride Jones.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., April 8.—Captain Pride Jones, for a number of years yardmaster for the Southern Railway, died at his home here at 5 o'clock this afternoon, after eight days' illness with pneumonia. Captain Jones was a native of Hillsboro, this State, and before coming to this city was conductor of a passenger train between Washington and Charlotte. He leaves a wife and one son.

## MORGAN SECURES RUTHERFORD HOME



RUTHERFORD HOUSE.

New York Financier Pays \$5,000 for Thomas House for Three Weeks.

### BISHOP ALSO WANTS PLACE

Private Secretary Expected in Richmond To-Day—Question of Hotel Rates.

Announcement was made yesterday to the effect that the residence of Mr. Thomas M. Rutherford, No. 112 East Grace Street, known as the "Thomas house," has been leased for the month of October to Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, the prominent financier and banker of New York City.

The lease price is understood to be \$5,000, in addition to which Mr. Morgan agrees to make certain alterations to the house without cost to the owner. Mr. Morgan's agents have conducted the negotiations direct, and the entertaining committee of the Episcopal General Convention were not parties to the transaction. Mr. Morgan is a lay member of the convention, and expects to be in Richmond during the sessions of that body, which will last for three weeks, beginning October 2d.

### Bishop Wants House.

Mr. Morgan has rented handsome houses at the last two general conventions in Boston and in San Francisco, and has entertained in a most lavish fashion. It has been understood in Richmond that Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York, would take the Thomas house, the present residence of Mr. Rutherford, and the announcement that Mr. Morgan has secured this desirable location will be a surprise. Bishop Potter's private secretary is expected in Richmond to-day to negotiate for a suitable furnished house for the bishop and his friends during the convention. There will probably be several other parties who will wish to take furnished houses for the month of October.

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### Hotel Rates.

The committee on hospitality of the convention, which consists of Mr. O. H. Farnham, Mr. O. J. Sands and Mr. John Stewart Bryan, had a conference a few days ago with a committee from the Richmond Hotel Men's Association with regard to the hotel rates during the convention. The representatives of the various hotels in the city have agreed to prepare a full schedule of rates and submit same within the next few days. These rates will be printed and circulated among those who expect to come to Richmond during this time, and will be published in the various Episcopal Church papers throughout the country. As the convention sits for three weeks, it is thought that both a transient rate and a rate for the full term of the convention will be announced. For the credit of the city it is hoped that these rates will be reasonable, and the committee have every assurance from the leading hotels that they will be reasonable.

The office of the committee of hospitality, at the corner of Eleventh and Bank Streets, is now in full operation, in charge of Rev. Mr. Darst, who is already handling a large amount of correspondence from all parts of the country. It is evident that the attendance at the convention will be large.

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New York, April 8.—Charlesmagne Tower, American ambassador to Germany, was the guest of honor to-night at a dinner tendered him by the New York German Club, at which over 800 persons, prominent in business and official life, were present.

Herman Rieder, editor of the Staats Zeitung, presided at the dinner. He included speeches by Ambassador Tower, S. N. D. North, director of the census; Edmund Barthold, and Melville E. Stone. Ambassador Tower made the principal address, and in the course of his remarks, he dwelt particularly on the condition of the German Empire.

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## KING EDWARD REACHES SPAIN

He and Queen Alexandra Accorded a Magnificent Reception.

CARTAGENA, SPAIN, April 8.—King Alfonso, the Dowager Queen Christina and the other members of the royal party, arrived here at 7:30 this morning from Madrid to meet King Edward and Queen Alexandra, of England. The Spanish King and his mother received an ovation from the population of the city.

The British royal yacht Victoria and Albert, escorted by warships, was sighted later in the day, and King Alfonso went out to meet King Edward and Queen Alexandra on board the Spanish royal yacht Grifone. The royal visitors were accorded a magnificent reception on their arrival here.

### King Edward Captain-General.

MADRID, April 8.—The newspapers comment upon the meeting at Cartagena as a solemn ratification of the perfect relations between England and Spain. They call it another proof that Spain is coming out of the retreat in which she has remained so long, and that she is about to take her place in international politics. The official gazette to-day published a royal decree appointing King Edward an honorary captain-general in the Spanish army.

## ISLE OF PINES NOT AMERICA

WASHINGTON, April 8.—That the Isle of Pines is not American territory was officially and judicially declared to-day by the Supreme Court of the United States. The decision was rendered in the famous case of Edward J. Peary, collector of the port at New York, and the opinion of the court was announced by Chief Justice Fuller, who said that up to the Paris treaty of 1898 the Isle of Pines had been considered as an integral part of Cuba, and that it could not be held to be covered by article 2 of that treaty, which included only islands in the vicinity of Porto Rico. The case originated with the importation of a few boxes of cigars by Peary in September 1902, but its hearing by the court was from time to time postponed in the hope that the statute of the island might be definitively fixed by legislation or diplomacy. The cigars were made in the Isle of Pines of tobacco grown there, and when they arrived Peary refused to pay duty, on the ground that they were of domestic origin. The collector thereupon seized them, and Peary appealed to the United States Circuit Court, where they secured no relief, as that court sustained a demurrer filed by the government and dismissed the case. He promptly brought the case to the Supreme Court, by which to-day the decree of the lower court was affirmed.

### E. HANOVER PRESBYTERY.

Ashland Presbyterian Church Host.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ASHLAND, VA., April 8.—The East Hanover Presbyterian met here to-day with Rev. Russell Cecil, D. D., presiding. Rev. Dr. P. T. McPeden was chosen moderator by acclamation. Revs. D. K. Walthall and George W. Jones were elected temporary clerks to assist Stated Clerk Dr. T. D. Epps, of Blackstone.

Rev. George Honderlight, missionary to Brazil, preached the sermon. He dwelt particularly on the condition of the Presbyterian Churches in Brazil. Adjournment for the evening followed the sermon.

The Presbytery assembled again this morning for the transaction of business.

### Jamestown Stamps.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The Post-Office Department has informed postmasters throughout the country that the special series of stamps to commemorate the founding of Jamestown will be issued, beginning April 8th, for sale to the public during the term of the Jamestown Exposition, from April 23d to November 24th.

## GOV. HOKE SMITH AT WHITE HOUSE

Calls on President Before Leaving for a Trip to Europe.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—Governor-elect Hoke Smith, of Georgia, who is en route to New York, from where he will sail for Europe, called at the White House to-day with several friends to pay his respects to the President. Mr. Smith was asked for an expression on politics, and made the following response: "The next President has got to be a man who represents the interests of the masses of the people."

"The President and I are the best of friends." These words were uttered by Senator Scott, of West Virginia, after he had had a long talk about political matters with the Chief Executive to-day.

Senator Scott's name had been mentioned as one of those who had been present at a dinner when the "anti-Roosevelt" plot had been divulged. The Senator declared that he was not at any such dinner.

"Yes, the President and I talked about the presidential nomination," said Senator Scott. "The President said that there were any amount of men who would make good Presidents."

Jacob Rits also talked with the President to-day. He declared that the President meant what he said on the night of the election in 1904 that he would not accept another nomination for the presidency. All the President wants, as far as Rits is concerned, is to see that his policies are carried through.

Telegrams and letters continue to be received by the President bearing on the disclosures made at the White House regarding the "combination" to defeat the President's policies. They assure the President of support in his fight.

### STROTHER WHIPS HIM.

So Says Story in Washington Paper—Treadway Bywaters's Friend.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—The Washington Times to-day prints the following as a local story: "Treadway Bywaters again struck the Strother family, now notable for killing young Bywaters in Culpeper because of their sister, according to reports received in this city to-day."

The story is that James F. Strother, one of the brothers who shot William F. Bywaters to death, became involved in a fist fight last Saturday evening with a real estate man of Culpeper named Treadway, because Treadway was a friend of Bywaters. The man was forced to marry Viola Strother, the Strother man's sister.

"According to this report, Strother beat Treadway badly."

"James F. Strother's version of the encounter has not yet been obtained, but Mr. Treadway's story, according to the report, is that he and Strother met Saturday evening outside a saloon, and Strother said anybody who differed with him on the Bywaters case was worthy of a thrashing. After that Strother struck Treadway, according to the Treadway version."

## CATARRH A UNIVERSAL BLOOD DISEASE

Catarrh is usually worse in Winter, because of the cold, damp and suddenly changing climate. Colds are contracted, and neglected and as the secretions from the different inflamed membranes are absorbed into the blood the unpleasant symptoms of the disease commence. The nostrils are stopped up and a constant dropping of mucous back into the throat keeps up a continual hawking and spitting. The patient has dull headaches, ringing noises in the ears, and often slight fever and a depressed, half-sick feeling accompanies the disease. The blood becomes so fully charged with catarrhal matter that stomach troubles are brought on, the kidneys and bladder are affected, and if the blood is not purified of the poison the lungs become diseased because of the constant passage of impure blood through them. Catarrh cannot be cured with washes, sprays, inhalations and such treatment; these cannot reach the poison-laden blood where the real cause is located, and can only give temporary relief and comfort. A disease which affects the entire blood supply as does Catarrh, must be treated with a blood purifier. S. S. S. is the best remedy for Catarrh, which has grown to be a universal disease. It goes to the bottom of the trouble, rids the blood of the catarrhal matter, reinvigorates the circulation, and cures this disgusting disease permanently. When S. S. S. has purified the blood every part of the system receives a supply of fresh, healthy blood; then the inflamed membranes heal and every symptom of Catarrh passes away. Write for our book containing information about Catarrh, and ask for any medical advice you desire. No charge is made for either.

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